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GRANDE PRAIRIE BONSPIEL STARTS FEBRUARY 10

Swallow, of G. P., Annexes
Grand Challenge and Trelle
Merchants at Beaver Lodge

George Neilson of Wembley, Captures Curling Club,
Peace River Events—Eighteen Rinks Compete in
Most Successful Bonspiel—Hospitality Everywhere
In Evidence—Ice in Excellent Condition.

Beaver Lodge's first open bonspiel, which dominated the town for the week, came to a close on Saturday last.

Those reaching the jewelry stage in the Grand Challenge were Hopkins, Swallow, Shilde, and McKay. Swallow won out from Shilde in the final. The Merchants' fours were Hopkins, Swallow, Trelle, and Naashkin. Swallow and Trelle tangled in the final, the latter getting the long end of the score.

In the Peace River event Rogers, Clow, Neilson, and Neilson won their way into the jewelry, with Neilson winning the final against Clow.

The Curling Club event winners were Hopkins, Carrell, Neilson and Shilde. Neilson and the Carrell rink won the final. The Carrell rink, Swallow and Neilson tied for the Grand Aggregate with 166 points.

Eighteen rinks competed. There were nine visiting rinks. The two aboriginals were in splendid condition and the various events were pulled off close to schedule time. Beaver Lodge and Curling Club and the town in general set out to make their first open bonspiel a success and it was the consensus of opinion among

Steve Keay Curls In The World's Biggest Spiel

Came Within an Ace of Winning Points Competition Jovial Spirit River Curler Will Be Greatly Missed at G. P. Bonspiel Next Week.

Speaking of bonspiels, curlers take note of this:

When the entries to a bonspiel on this side of the Atlantic run over the 100-rink mark the spiel is considered a real success from the standpoint of attendance. But listen to this story of the world's biggest curling bonspiel.

At the bonspiel held on Loch Carabreck, Scotland, at Christmas time, between the North and South sides of the Land of the Heather, there were no fewer than 2,800 curlers competing.

So enthusiastic were the curlers, says The Courier and Advertiser, printed in Dundee, that they practically paid no heed to a gale which swept across the loch, and this, local curlers, notwithstanding that many were in kilts.

A reporter for the above mentioned paper, who tried to describe thespiel, wrote in part as follows:

"I started somewhere about 75 years ago and moved—77, 78, 80, 82, 83—until I came to a rubicund old gentleman who was sitting in his house, wearing a jocular remark to a companion, whose nose was a matter of three inches away from his own.

"Are you the oldest man on the loch?" he enquired. The old man, who was sitting in his house, wearing a jocular remark to a companion, whose nose was a matter of three inches away from his own.

"I should be mentioned that the North won over the South by 836 goals."

Steve is accompanied by Mrs. Keay. He is visiting his father and mother in Scotland and is in the local news states that he has purchased a car and intends making a good deal of Scotland and England before returning home in April.

Orr's Puckchasers Defeat Spirit River In Fast Game

Grande Prairie senior hockey team won over Gordon Wilson's Spirit River aggregation at the Wapiti rink, on Saturday night by a score of 6 to 2.

Notwithstanding that the game did not get started until well after half past nine, there was a fair attendance.

The visitors played their best hockey in the third period, when they quite held their own with the Canadians who turned in the best game they have played this season.

Spirit River began to play all their games on an open rink at the time, stated that the lights bothered them and interfered with their judging distance.

The local forward line in spots (Continued on page eight)

HELP BONSPIEL BOOTH

The Grande Prairie Curling Club will run the booth at the Wapiti rink during the coming bonspiel, which commences on Monday, February 10.

Those wishing to donate anything for the booth should get in touch with Mrs. Jack McLean or Mr. Jack McLean, who will have charge of this department. Phone rink, 107.



WORLD'S ONLY SOCIAL CREDIT LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY OPENED THURSDAY

EDMONTON, Feb. 6.—Economic reconstruction, with establishment of a Social Credit plan; revision of the taxation scheme and a regime of rigid economy in government expenditures, became Alberta's objectives for 1936 today as they were set forth in the speech from the throne, read by Hon. W. L. Walsh, Lieutenant-Governor, at the opening of the first session of Alberta's Eighth Legislature, headed by the world's only Social Credit government, at 3 p.m. today.

Above is a picture of the Parliament buildings at Edmonton, while (left, right) are: W. R. Howson, leader of the Liberal Opposition, and Premier Aberhart, leader of the Social Credit government. At the right is Hon. W. L. Walsh, Lieutenant-Governor of Alberta, while below is Major C. H. Douglas, Social Credit advocate.

4 Candidates In Field For Councillors

Alex. D. Wishart, J. B. Oliver, T. W. Bentley, O. B. Harris Nominated For Civic Honors

Four candidates are in the field for a position on the town council. As there are only three vacancies, this means that an election will be held on Monday, February 10.

Those nominated are: O. B. Harris, A. D. Wishart, whose time had expired, and J. B. Oliver and T. W. Bentley, J. C. Harris, whose time had also expired, refused to let his name be put forward.

There will be no elections for positions on the school boards. A. Alt and F. D. Hickman were elected by acclamation to the Separate School Board. W. Bayhan retired.

D. Patterson, C. Spencer and W. T. Haynes were elected by acclamation to the Public School Board, to succeed themselves.

The poll, which will be held in the Town Hall, will open at 1 o'clock, and remain open until 7 p.m.

Sixteen Rinks Competing in Wembley Spiel

(Special to The Tribune)

WEMBLEY, Feb. 6.—Sixteen rinks are competing in Wembley's Annual Open Bonspiel, now in progress.

There are eight visiting rinks, shipped by the following: Clow of Houston, Alex. Davidson of Grande Prairie, Shadock, Aspen Ridge, Gilbey, Lake Beauclair, Hopkins and Burton, Lake Saskatchewan, Rogers and Carrell, Beaver Lodge.

In the Treble event, Clow of Houston, Alex. Davidson of Grande Prairie, Shadock, Aspen Ridge, Gilbey, Lake Beauclair, Hopkins and Burton, Lake Saskatchewan, Rogers and Carrell, Beaver Lodge.

In the Citizens, Knutson of Wembley and Burton of Grande Prairie are in the semi-final.

The fee is ideal and good curling is in the general rule.

Tonight the big curling banquet will be held in the Wembley Hotel.

It is expected that the bonspiel will be finished Friday night. Final results will be carried in the next issue of The Tribune.

FINAL GAME IN SQUARE DRAW

The final game in the Square Draw of the Grande Prairie Curling Club will be played on Friday night, commencing at 8 o'clock, between Dr. Haynes and George Dunlop's rink.

"ALL HAIL, SKIP! WE'RE GLAD TO SEE YOU!"



Town's Sound Financial Position Shown by Reports Submitted Annual Meeting

Town Fathers Dealt with General Business Monday

General business and relief matters took up the major part of the time of the town fathers at their regular meeting held on Monday night.

C. Turner was re-appointed building valuator for 1936.

Accounts to the value of \$321.13 were passed for payment.

A round-table discussion took place on the matter of installing a water and sewerage system, during which the Mayor gave a brief outline of what had been done up to the present.

He pointed out that a survey of the town had been made by a competent engineer several years ago and that the project would have been gone ahead with had not the depression set in.

The various reports submitted by the visiting representatives held in the council chamber of the town hall on Friday night showed that the town of Grande Prairie is in a good sound position financially.

The general condition of the town is summarized in Mayor Turner's address, which follows:

"I want to submit to you a report for the year 1935 and which comments on the various activities of the town's affairs."

"Before going further, I think it would be in order at this moment to say that amongst the successful activities of the town has been the death of our beloved Mayor, King George V. Now, a gracious memory as he always will be, an event which we are all proud to honor and which has cast a gloom over us all. The tributes that have been accorded him by the whole Empire, by all the world in all walks of life, are a testament to his greatness."

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With Favorable Weather 40 Rinks Expected to Attend; Seven Sheets Ice to be Used

According to the officials of the Grande Prairie Curling Club, it is expected with favorable weather that between 40 and 50 rinks will be expected to attend the Grande Prairie Curling Club will stage the largest annual open bonspiel ever held in the north country.

According to estimates coming into the club, the Peace River rink will be strongly represented, as well as the town, village and rural clubs. It is possible that the entries will reach 40, and the Curling Club is making preparation to accommodate that number.

Seven sheets of ice will be utilized and it is hoped to run off the various events on schedule.

The booth at the rink, which is being operated as usual by the Curling Club, will be in charge of Mrs. Jack Mantle and Mrs. Ted Jacks.

On Thursday evening the banquet will be held at the Wembley Hotel.

North Makes Big Showing at The Prov. Seed Fair

By Arthur Smith (Special to The Tribune)

CALGARY, Alberta, where an adverse crop year, which had a marked effect on the quality of many samples shown, the exhibitors from the north, section of Alberta did remarkably well in the recent competitions at the Provincial Seed Fair held in Calgary on Friday of last week. All the first prize samples from the district seed producers of the north were forwarded to the Provincial Seed Fair, where they met for the provincial championships with the following results:

In the open class for oats open to exhibitors showing for the first time, the seed of John McDonald, of Wapiti, won first prize. In the other section of the same division Arthur MacDonald, of Grande Prairie, won second.

Albert Allison of Wembley had the best sample of Canadian Thorpe barley, while the best sample of western rye grass, another Wembley entry, Stewart Brock, took first place in the commercial grade white potato class.

Coachman of Grande Prairie won third place with a sample of flax and Eric Anderson of Wapiti won second with a sample of flax.

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will be held in the basement hall of St. Paul's United Church. The following attractive prizes are being offered for the five events: (Continued on Page Eight)

Clairmont and Sexsmith to Meet Here Feb. 14

A hockey game between Sexsmith and Clairmont senior hockey teams, to be played at the Wapiti rink on Friday night, February 14, will bring the Grande Prairie annual open bonspiel, which commences on Monday, to a close.

Keen rivalry exists between these two teams and their fans are prepared to bet good money on the result.

The Tribune is informed that Clairmont supporters are prepared to cover \$1,000 as a side bet on the game. The event already is creating a great deal of interest and those desiring a seat for the game are advised to get in early.

The winner of this game will take 50 per cent of the gate.

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Along the Trail

By J. B. YULE

JUST HUMAN NATURE

The following is a true story of a young man who will call Bill in the East—now living in the West—attended an old-time revival meeting.

The revival was inviting sinners to the penitent rail when a young chap not blessed with any too much grey matter knelt beside Bill and urged him to go forward.

Bill who was, and still is, a bit of a wag, suggested that he did not think the young fellow could handle the situation, adding that if he could not post after him a few sentences of the grandiose type he would consider it.

The ardent youth, believing that Bill was weakening, and having visions of an extra star in his crown, tackled the jaw-breaking sentences but got stuck when half through.

"No, no," observed Bill, "I can see right now that you are not capable of handling the situation. However, I will give you another chance. And again the youth failed.

"You are hopeless," remarked Bill, "I wouldn't think for a moment of entrusting my case in your hands."

The ardent youth chap closed his right fist and drew a hard one on Bill's ribs, and at the same time exclaimed: "Damn you!" And he went away sorrowfully.

THE BEAR HUNT?

Considerable excitement has been caused among the residents of other towns over a rumor that some organization in the western states has written to some one here that it would live five full-grown bears, male and female, for which a good price will be paid.

It is understood that some of the younger men are anxious and prepared to accept a moment's notice to start for the tall and stout and trap Mr. and Mrs. Brown. What they lack in experience is more than made up by enthusiasm. Each one has his own plan of action, but what is common to all is the hope of a big haul.

He stated that one of the best ways to be sure to catch one of the party who should climb a tree. The bear would naturally follow up the tree. Then the rest of the party should rush up and fall upon the bear and make it feed with ropes, with which, of course, they would be supplied.

Another plan suggested by the veteran hunter and trapper was this: "Bears are very tame," he said, "he suggested that the party take along with them a muskox who should play soft, soothing selections. Or lacking a muskox, he suggested that one of the party sing 'The Wilding'." He said that it was known that bears were very fond of this song. Then he said, when the bear was thoroughly engrossed in the music it would be easy to sneak up behind him and strangle him. These and other methods did the muskox suggest, all the while with a merry twinkle in his eye.

It is understood that many yards of rope were immediately sold by local merchants.

SPLENDID HOSPITALITY

I had no sooner landed at the Beaver Lodge on Friday of last week, to see how the hospital was progressing than I met my old friend Frank Walker, formerly of Grande Prairie.

How is the Scrib? I am glad to see you here, said the good old friend. Walker greeted the author of this column, whose express purpose on visiting was to see how the Beaver Lodge on this occasion was to get a few high-lights in the world's game, which held the centre of the stage for the week.

Not only that, but I was invited right there to use the Legion clubhouse to do my writing. It should be mentioned in this connection that Frank Walker was one of the prime movers in establishing the Legion clubhouse, which is ideal for the purpose for which it is being used.

Hospitality is one of the great things in the world. It helps to cover the rough spots "Along the Trail." What a happy thought that this would be without hospitality, which is as marked in the Peace River.

For this month a friendly gesture I thank my old friend Walker.

THE 'SPIEL' IS THE THING

There is possibly no game in the world which combines skill and good fellowship to the same extent as does the "spiel" game. In fact the keynote of all hospitals is good fellow-

ship, and all curlers respond to this note.

Hinks do their best and if they lose they shake the hands of the opposing rinks with a nonchalance and a smile as though they had won the Grand Challenge.

In this part of the world, where Old Winter hovers with us for a considerable period of time, how drab would be this period if curling had never been invented. In a word, if the curling game had never been invented, there would be a big void in our winter pleasures.

One of the beauties of the game is that people of all ages can participate in it. All that is needed is to have sufficient strength to hurl the rock from one circle to another. Of course if one wishes to be really efficient he or she must know the "turn" of the weight, and be dead on the broom.

During the winter there may be the curling, but certainly no grouping. Curling is supposed to be a gentleman's game, and it is.

A VISIT WITH MR. AND MRS. HENRY ROBERTS

On Monday afternoon I had the pleasure of visiting Mr. and Mrs. Henry Roberts, who are staying with their daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. Bessie Roberts, at their home in Grande Prairie.

I was pleased to find Mr. Roberts very much improved in health, although he is still confined to his bed. He stated during our conversation that he suffered no pain and he was hopeful to be able soon to leave the aid of his legs and be able to visit some of his friends, among them, I am pleased to say, The Tribune office.

Mr. Roberts' memory is remarkable and he recalled many of the things which happened many years ago. He is waiting, almost impatiently, for the opening of the Legislature and the Federal Parliament, which takes place on February 8.

I have nothing else to add and I am going to follow the proceedings in both houses very carefully. Was the way Mr. Roberts, who is 84 years of age, put it.

Mrs. Roberts, despite a lame ankle, said that she was feeling very well. She too takes a deep interest in current events.

IN THE TRIBUNE'S MAIL BOX

SUPPOSITION

A supposition, with its probabilities, may direct to a possibility, or it may lead to an impossibility. In economic matters, suppositions are often made, effecting compromises on equal terms under a capitalist regime, it is obvious that suppositions then lead to some attractions that they may have. In fact, they become evidence.

For instance, consider the case of a central bank, privately owned and controlled, which, almost by a miracle, would be transformed in a true public institution, having and using its sole prerogative to issue all currency, and this to a full extent. How could such a radical transformation be accepted and digested by those who actually control Big Finance?

There is no opportunity here to make a supposition for a moment, for that of nature would make them lose not only their prestige but their power.

Now, what about some other suppositions. There is plenty of room for suppositions.

What would become of the present pseudo necessity of prime interest on federal contributions for the well-being of the community? Would it not be absurd and inconceivable?

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The U. F. A. Provincial Convention

By I. V. Macklin

With scarcely a word about events of the past year, the U. F. A. provincial convention of 1935 held at Edmonton, went about the task of carrying on a business-house for ideas from all parts of the province.

For once in many years it cleaned up the bill of fare before the closing hour and had time to spare at the end for a most enjoyable set-together sing-song and dance.

In spite of the advice of the president of the association to delay decision re political action for one year, the delegates decided to remain on the field battle.

The general trend of resolutions was to the effect that the farmers of Alberta should not be driven back there was little hope expressed that the position of agriculture would be improved under the present political regime.

There was expressed, however, a determination that should the situation continue to grow and not be forced to retreat from positions gained in the past. Many instances of this might be cited, as follows:

Automobile License Tax
In the past the farmer might delay his tax for a long time, but now it is to be paid in full at the time of purchase or even at the time of delivery.

Fuel Oil Tax
Since the proposal has been made to increase the fuel oil tax to 10 cents per gallon, farmers who use the same in operations on the farm, a resolution of protest was passed.

Debt Problem
There were no proposals made in the convention for the solution of the debt problem. The convention simply asked that the protection now given debtors in city or country be not removed.

Taxation
In view of the suggestion of the increase of a driver's license and other increases in taxation along other lines, it was agreed that taxation was almost too heavy and that it be not made heavier in an effort to balance the budget.

It was agreed that it was not reasonable to increase the burden of taxation and that the government should not attempt to "raise" dividends as a regularity to all, "or at least not to the farmers who are the mainstay of the province."

U. F. A. and C. C. F.
It was some three years ago that the U. F. A. convention in Calgary, with only three dissenting votes, decided to cooperate with Labor and other groups in the formation of a platform of that platform was that monopolies should be abolished.

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A Minute With Montrose

such remarks as this were frequently heard: "I have been at conventions off and on for over twenty years and this is the happiest one I ever attended."

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Timely Hints From the Beaverlodge Sub-Station

By W. D. Albright

"IT IS A PLEASURE AS WELL AS A DUTY TO SERVE"

The wheat sprouts in sparkling snow arrays, bending boughs throughout the passing days.

The frost red in time of frost. With silver brilliance glimmers, gem-embossed.

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What a blessing a tank heater in cold weather!

The closer the housing the more pleasant the cold.

It is not the sparrows and more desirable birds will take their places.

How animals enjoy the direct sunlight! It must be good for them, and it is.

Most farmhouses show the year present a useful study. It pays to study them nevertheless.

It requires an auction sale or a careful inventory to reveal just how much a property has gathered around him.

In this paternalistic age the sense of personal responsibility seems to be growing painfully less. When it vanishes—the deluge.

Now, a w, what shall we now? The forthcoming spring is one of those seasons when it is comfortable to have some land that is already in seed—some land already in seed.

The water that many animals and some humans have to drink is a crime. It is not so very laborious to melt snow when there is enough of it around, and one is "ripped for it."

When oiling the harness, one of the best ways to give these for appearance but the pad should not be made limp. If hard and smooth it will better protect the top of the neck from buckle pressure.

A good way to help establish the much desired velocity of currency movement is for anyone who can pay a debt to do so. A dollar released by the first dealer who can pay may continue to circulate until it pays many debts, relieving many people's minds and wiping many accounts.

The books, where the money is being better may often be employed to substitute. It is a matter of degree, but it is an obligation inhumanly as best he can, or if he cannot possibly meet it, then to be frank and co-operative with his creditor, having an understanding with him.

Preserve the forest, conserve the woodlot and spare a few well situated stumps on every acre. When the trees come when the tree crop will be our most valuable one. Millions of acres of hardwood forest in Old Ontario were chopped down to get the trees off the land, they being burned for their stumps. The stumps were then according to a commercial traveler for eastern furniture firms, furniture factories imported much of their maple, birch and walnut from the United States. The spruce, balsam and white cedar forests of the West may be worth something for merchandising—perhaps more than we now imagine. In many districts they already have a value for fuel.

Attaswede Clover

I'm getting a bushel of Attaswede red clover to seed down ten acres this spring. Information will be appreciated—E. R. J. Dawson Creek.

Ans. Unless the land is very clean and unless very early seeding can be accomplished, six pounds per acre is scarcely enough for the seedling of a broadleaf stand but would be plenty for rows. If the object is hay or pasture, it would be well to add five pounds per acre of bromegrass seed. In severe winters we have found alfalfa and sweet clover more hardy than Late Red Clover. Attaswede is practically the same thing as Attaswede, being the variety out of which it was selected. Attaswede, however, is grown with great satisfaction by a farmer of our acquaintance at High Prairie and is decidedly superior in our climate to common red. It is a one-cut clover, not usually producing much aftermath. It has very considerable perennial tendency and its culture is similar to that of alfalfa. Incubation should not be neglected. Write the Division of Horticulture, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, specifying the crop to be inoculated. Sweet clover and alfalfa will inoculate for each other but not for Attaswede.

Plums, Apples, Black Raspberries

1. Will plums stand our winters and fruit here?

2. What kinds would you advise?

3. What success have you had?

4. If you have any fruit here, what kinds are most likely to succeed?

5. Is the black raspberry variety growing in the Peace?—G. J. P. Peace River, Alta.

Ans. 1. Excepting the hardiest seedlings of the McIntosh native, the plums winter precariously and though fruiting sometimes seldom ripen their crop.

2. and 3. Asinibonita reputedly one of the hardiest, is not absolutely hardy here. Of several hundred seedlings none has evinced entire satisfaction with our winters. The Asinibonita, however, moderately well behind survive blooms. The variety, especially on the lower benches and ripening some fruit fairly regularly. Along with these one might plant a few Asinibonita plants. Hybrids such as Royal Plum and Orie.

4. Crataegus are on the whole a little more successful than plums, though subject to attacks of trunk borers. The varieties, Common, Florence, Glen, Columbia, Idaho and Beauty have proved to some extent to be more successful than plums in what northern orchards. Columbia is late.

5. In certain gardens we have seen

Silkworm Culture

With great interest I read the description about the possibilities of raising silkworms in Canada by you and Baron Von Kruedener. Would it be possible for you to let me have data about your experiments and the name of this certain kind of silkworm?—M. E. Cherryville, B.C.

Ans. The silkworm in the papers has made much out of nothing so far as our part in the silkworm industry is concerned. We have never even thought of promoting that industry in Canada, but when Baron Von Kruedener visited us last fall he outlined his ideas of the possibilities and was interested to find that we had included in our garden tests the seeds of black silkworms (*Bombyx mori*), on which he said silkworms could be raised. It remains to be seen whether sericulture can succeed commercially in Canada in competition with countries where hand labor is abundant and cheap. Baron Von Kruedener advised that it takes about 30 pounds of silkworms to produce one pound of silk. There are several questions to be settled and it is suggested that readers refrain from any expenditure until the matter has been explored by the Experimental Stations and by others interested.

Early Triumph Wheat

I have been informed that Early Triumph wheat is a consistently heavy yielding, early maturing and of good color, so that it stands up under heavy regulations. Are these the facts?

2. What rate of seedling per acre?—H. R. Cosmo, Alta.

Ans. 1. Early Triumph is a consistently high yielding in the Peace but only relatively early. Actually it ripens a day or two sooner than the quiet. When matured and harvested under ideal conditions it gives a very pleasing sample, but some of the seedlings when exposed to rain in the field. This variety has a strong tendency to produce badly placed grain on our white or greyish woodland soils. Red Bobs 222 is a variety substantially similar to Early Triumph in appearance but better in baking quality.

2. Six picks per acre of good seed is a satisfactory rate. E. C. Stacey.

FIRE-RETARDANT WOOD CHEMISTRY'S LATEST

Coinciding with the statement of United States builders and insurance men that the United States fire losses for 1935, amounting to 10,000,000,000, and cost \$245,000,000, comes a report from the National Board of Fire Underwriters that there is a thing as fire-retardant wood.

The wood tested by the Board was red oak and maple which had been thoroughly and uniformly impregnated with a fire-retardant containing ammonium salts, a fireproofing compound which it is not perhaps necessary to mention in Canada for at least two years. The treated wood was found to be as strong as ordinary wood but it is a little heavier because of the salt content, and is easily treated and finished.

The investigators of the Board tested the treated wood under conditions that sent untreated walls and floors roaring up in flames while the treated wood did not burn at all but after a long period of exposure to the flames heat was deeply charred. Not once, however, did the treated wood flame or aid the spread of combustion. The National Board of Fire Underwriters' final verdict was that the wood was non-inflammable.

MATING THE BREEDING PEN (Experimental Farms Note)

The mating of the breeding pen should be a matter of serious study and careful consideration for the success of future operations depends more on this than on any other phase of poultry raising. Not only does the season's success depend on it, but it may seriously affect the work of future years as well.

If trapping and pedigree breeding have been followed, full advantage should be taken of the property test and males and females that have been proved to be breeders. By the test the offspring, particularly the sons of those matings that have proven best retained.

For many years the endeavor in breeding has been largely along high egg production lines and in many cases not sufficient attention has been paid to breed type which is conducive to high table quality.

A drive has been inaugurated this year to try to improve the type of Canadian market poultry. (See publication 452, Farmer's Bulletin 2, Dominion Department of Agriculture.)

Stress should be laid on vigor, breed type and quality of the progeny. The bulletin, without however, losing sight of the egg-laying qualities of the flock.

The male is half the pen, and special care should be taken in his selection. He should be the best of a high-class, large-egg hen, and should be well-grown, good solid and broad type.

While vigor may be denoted in every section of the bird—head, back, body, well-set legs and general action—vigorous force, the paramount requisite, is denoted by a bright, prominent eye set in a clean-cut face. This is the sign of a male that should give results when mated with equally carefully selected females.

Those who have no such males to purchase them from careful breeders who have them.

A safe plan to avoid all danger of the hatching of diseased, is to purchase pedigree hatching eggs from a reliable breeder and select the location from among the males raised in them.

GEORGE ROBERTSON, Central Experimental Farm, Ottawa, Ontario.



POPULAR PRINCE WHO IS NOW KING

The above picture shows King Edward VIII as he rode with his beloved father, King George, during one of the memorable Silver Jubilee ceremonies which took place last summer.

ATTENTION YOUNG PEOPLE

A junior beef calf club has been organized in this district for the past few years. Last fall a drive was made for new members. The response was very satisfactory. The club is now in a position to make a drive for new members. The club is now in a position to make a drive for new members.

Re-grassing Farms and Soil Drifting

Soil drifting on cultivated land in the semi-arid and sub-humid sections of the Prairie Provinces has become a major problem. The Dominion Department of Agriculture is now making a drive to re-grass farms and soil drifting.

Marketing Seed Grain

Good seed and grain of known purity that is free from weed seeds and admixtures of other varieties and that has sufficient vitality to germinate quickly and produce strong, vigorous plants.

At no time in the history of the agriculture of western Canada has there been a greater need for good seed than in the case of present. But the fact is that the majority of the seed that is marketed in the Prairie Provinces is of poor quality. The Dominion Department of Agriculture is now making a drive to market seed grain.

Quarantine Stations and Entry Ports for Animals

According to the regulations just issued relating to animal quarantine and the health of animals, the following Canadian entry ports are required to be "Quarantine Stations, and all animals imported from any foreign country must be entered through these stations. Nova Scotia—Halifax and Yarmouth. Prince Edward Island—Charlottetown. New Brunswick—Saint John and Miramichi. Quebec—Montreal, Quebec City, and Saguenay. Ontario—Toronto, Windsor, and Niagara Falls. Manitoba—Winnipeg. Saskatchewan—Saskatoon. Alberta—Edmonton and Calgary. British Columbia—Vancouver and Victoria. Yukon Territory—White Horse.

Animals which are subject to inspection only and not subject to quarantine may enter through the ports already mentioned and also through the following: Nova Scotia—Pictou and New Sydney. New Brunswick—Charlottetown. Quebec—Montreal, Quebec City, and Saguenay. Ontario—Toronto, Windsor, and Niagara Falls. Manitoba—Winnipeg. Saskatchewan—Saskatoon. Alberta—Edmonton and Calgary. British Columbia—Vancouver and Victoria. Yukon Territory—White Horse.

A considerable amount of the probable loss of the value of the income of the farm products to be marketed during the first half of 1935 indicates that, for the same period in 1935, however, the cultural situation and outlook.

FEED SITUATION SHOWS MARKED IMPROVEMENT

"The feed situation in Canada as a whole shows marked improvement over last year. There are few places where supplies of hay are inadequate, for that reason, those having a crop of hay for the winter are well advised to store it in a safe place."

In the Maritime Provinces the hay crop was 10 per cent over that of 1934. Pasture was poor during the late summer owing to dry weather, but there was a considerable pick-up in the late fall. Quebec also reports an increase in hay production. Ontario had a yield of grass and clover hay estimated at 60 per cent over that of the previous year. The fall condition of new seedling is reported as being fair to excellent for the first season experience.

Hay crop was harvested in the Maritime Provinces in the fall. However, it was impaired by rain during the hay-making season. It is estimated that the hay crop was 10 per cent over that of 1934. The feed situation in the Maritime Provinces is reported as being fair to excellent for the first season experience.

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Interesting News From Sexsmith

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SEXSMITH HOCKEY TEAM HAS BEEN VERY ACTIVE

The Sexsmith senior hockey team had a very strenuous time during the past two days, having been in quite a few games with various results. The most important was the Wembley on Sexsmith ice, for the Wembley cup with the result that the cup stayed here, the score being 8 to 1 in favor of the home team.

Sexsmith travelled to Wembley for an exhibition match, and the score was three all.

They then went to Hycroft, and lost to the tune of 4 to 3.

Hycroft played a return match on Sunday and were swamped by the one-sided score of 10 to 1. Three of the junior team played with Sexsmith, and they certainly gave a good account of themselves, scoring between them four of the goals. These three boys with a little more experience, will give a good account of themselves.

Side Lights of Wembley Game

Some side lights on the Wembley game, given in by a deputy referee: Geo. Cameron putting on skates to try and locate the Wembley boys. Stan Warren being put on the fence for alleged hitting between the blue lines, one of the hockey rules used sometime during the dark ages, but long since obsolete.

Bobby Shaw, a junior player, breaking through the whole Wembley line-up.

Albert Manary getting the first notch for Sexsmith.

Norman Umbrich playing Santa Claus and making a present of a goal to Wembley.

Art Fenton entraining the boys for just one more goal which did not materialize.

Miss Kristin decorating the ice with a good job of it.

RECOVERING FROM OPERATION

Little Vera Walker, who has been in the Grande Prairie Municipal Hospital for the last few days, undergoing an operation for appendicitis, is well on the way to recovery and will be home the end of the week.

HAYMAKERS' BALL BIG SUCCESS

The Haymakers' Ball, held at the Grand Theatre on Friday night last, was a decided success, there being a full house. The Kleist orchestra, composed of piano, violin, sax, harp and organ, played a very pleasant and appropriate music.

Hot dogs and coffee were served by shorty Guitierrez, who is quite an artist at this business.

Dancing was kept up until an early hour next morning.

KERR-ORR CUP CAPTURED BY CLAIROMONT TEAM

The Kerr-Orr cup has a change of venue, the Clairmont hockey team winning same from Sexsmith on Saturday night, the score being 2 to 1.

Sexsmith was a very strongly contested game, and it was a very close one, the last whistle sounded.

Clairmont scored in the first period shortly after the start, and that was the only scoring during that stanza.

Just after the half, Sexsmith scored the score and toward the end of the same period Clairmont again notched the goal, and that was the final score, the last period being scoreless.

The penalties were about evenly divided. There were two referees, one from Clairmont and one from Sexsmith.

Quite a number of rangers came from Clairmont to encourage their team.

Sexsmith has challenged for the Croken cup, and the challenge will be played for on Thursday night at Clairmont.

VALLEYVIEW NEWS

VALLEYVIEW, Jan. 30.—With the beginning of the new year the people of Valleyview are now getting a new start. Father Time is not going to beat them.

Through the snow still holds and at present the weather is as cold as it has been all winter, our thoughts are already turning summerwards. No matter how the thermometer says, Monday is always a warm day at Valleyview, as crowds gather at the post office and join in heated discussions over the weather.

C.C. ANNUAL MEETING

The Community Club held their annual meeting the first of the month and got away to a good start with an efficient executive and some live-wire committees, and a number of new members eager to add their names to the roll.

The next meeting of the club is to be held by the way, in the hall on Friday, February 7. After the business meeting the program committee has an entertaining pantomime to present. After the pantomime, a social lunch, of course, will be served.

PUTTING ON PLAY AND DANCE

The ladies of the Community Club are putting on a play and dance on Friday, February 14. The play is "The Girl Who Came to Stay" (changed). They are raffling off a quiz—five cents a ticket. It's to be a great night. The cast in the play is composed of thirteen ladies—no gents. It should be a wow!

A baby daughter was born to Mr. and Mrs. Carl Swanson on Wednesday, February 22.

The many friends of Mr. and Mrs. Invald Tingstad will be glad to hear that their son has been released from the High Prairie Hospital and is now home. He is ready and waiting to come home.

The boys seem to get homesick. Eric Lion, Elmer Johnson and Kenneth returned from Buffalo Lake. Another game returned from Burnley's camp, near High Prairie. Last week, Joe Madsen, Gus Hendrickson, Pete Gradin and Lief Anderson.

SILVERWOOD

February 4, 1936

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING VERY INTERESTING ONE

SILVERWOOD, Feb. 2.—The annual meeting of Silverwood school district was well attended.

Mr. John Dika was nominated by Mr. Hendrick and seconded by Mr. Hendrick to act as chairman. Mr. Campbell acted as secretary.

The financial statement was read. It showed an improvement over last year and if such improvement continues during the present year, Silverwood won't have much to worry about at the next annual school district meeting.

Mr. J. Vincent moved that the financial statement be adopted, seconded by Mr. Hendrick. Carried.

IMPRESSIVE MEMORIAL SERVICE AT YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY

The Young People's Society held their regular fortnightly meeting in the annex of the United Church on Monday last night. These three boys with a little more experience, will give a good account of themselves.

Members taking part were: N. Foster, convenor of the citizenship committee; Mrs. McMillan, and Misses B. Foster, Foster, A. Wilson, and Messrs. M. Bright and S. Foster.

Thanks are extended to the Canadian Legion, and to Mr. J. Moe for the use of their hall. Mrs. Calverly, who very kindly helped by gathering and arranging materials used in the ceremony, and Mrs. Roberts for the loan of the late King George and one of King Edward VIII.

Mr. Deive gave a description of their trip from Brockville, Ontario, to Sexsmith by ice caravan, in which he explained that he was very careful to observe the ice laws and not to step on it—words to that effect. He stated that the exciting part of the trip was reserved until he came to Slave Lake, where they all had their last night's sleep.

On the motion of Mr. Jack Burns, the meeting closed.

CHURCH SERVICE CONDUCTED BY YOUNG PEOPLE'S SOCIETY

Sunday Evening, January 26, the United Church Sunday evening service was in charge of the Young People's Society, and was well attended.

The service opened with the Young People's hymn, and closed with the National Anthem in honor of the new King.

RUMOR MUST BE FALSE

There has been a persistent rumor that Mr. Dinkins, father of the famous Quints, went missing for stocks and that it was a very serious matter. This rumor cannot be true, as our local newspaper is still being constantly visited by them.

NORTH GOODWIN

NORTH GOODWIN, Jan. 30.—In spite of the weather we have had these last days, several of the people in Goodwin have been seen headed for the beach. August and Freddie have been building logs (two wonder what's up). Xavier and Cecil have been fishing. August and Freddie have been building logs (two wonder what's up). Xavier and Cecil have been fishing.

Nick Smackmish was a visitor at the Davies home last week.

ALONG THE WAPITI

ALONG THE WAPITI, Jan. 30.—A very interesting service was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Van Horn Saturday night, January 25.

Mr. G. M. Stevens was appointed as the reader of the prayer book at the meeting of the church board on Wednesday, January 29, at Wembley.

Mr. A. R. Watts had the misfortune to sprain his ankle on Sunday last.

Mr. Len Gibbons was a Sunday visitor at the store.

We are sorry to hear that Ted Wells of the Wapiti Mine has been very sick, and wish him a quick recovery.

Mr. James Farley, who was staying at the home of Mrs. Jim Ryan, returned to his home across the Wapiti last week.

Mr. and Mrs. Ray Campbell and family, also George Whyte from the Wapiti mine, were the guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. Hooker Sunday last.

David Whyte, Jr., has returned home from the Wapiti Mine Saturday evening last.

Quite a few women of this district have taken up the hobby of trapping. I wish you luck, ladies.

The next district meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. Kate Stevens on February 27. Everybody welcome.

Mr. Gordon Wagner was a visitor in Grande Prairie last Sunday.

Bill Henderson and George A. Horn were visitors to the Pack Rat Ranch one day last week.

Mr. and Mrs. McDonald and family spent a very enjoyable afternoon at the home of Mrs. W. Hooker, also Mr. and Mrs. H. Hooker, and listening to a very fine radio program in the evening.

Also we wish to extend our sincere good wishes to Miss Pearl Quinn and Mr. John Quinn, who were married on the 28th. We wish them much happiness.

HAZELMERE NEWS

HAZELMERE, Jan. 29.—Pat Kuebel was rushed to Grande Prairie Municipal Hospital and operated on for a hernia. His condition at the date is as good as could be expected.

Several Hazelmere people attended the golden wedding and dance of Mr. and Mrs. John Cook, which was held at the event at Rio Grande on January 28. Heartly congratulations.

CANNING-QUINN

Also we wish to extend our sincere good wishes to Miss Pearl Quinn and Mr. John Quinn, who were married on the 28th. We wish them much happiness.

DEBOLT ITEMS

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GRIM REAPER VISITS DEBOLT

DEBOLT, Jan. 30.—Mrs. Walter Peterson passed away at the Grande Prairie Municipal Hospital on January 10 and was laid to rest in the Debolt cemetery on Tuesday afternoon, January 21. She leaves to mourn her death her husband and a host of friends. Rev. R. Hunt of Clairmont conducted the funeral services at the United Church.

The baby son of Mr. and Mrs. T. Dickson passed away on January 23 and was laid to rest in the Debolt cemetery on January 25. Rev. R. Hunt conducted the funeral services at the Debolt church.

SCHOOL HAS NEW FLAG

The Debolt school has a new flag. The flag was bought by community subscription and the pole was made and donated by Mr. S. J. Turner. Mr. Turner and Mr. Gilman erected the flag-pole one day last week.

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TEEPEE CREEK

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The surprise party given Helen Pink January 17 was quite an enjoyable affair. Everyone had a good time and lots of fun.

Henry Fink and family were Saturday evening visitors at Wm. Maxwell's.

Tom Nelson's and Morris Glendon's were Sunday visitors at Chas. White's.

Several of the young people from Teepee Creek attended the dance at Fitzsimmons last Friday night.

(David Love and family were Sunday visitors at Dan Rehm's.

Mr. Chas. Adams from the Bad Heart has been visiting with her daughter, Mrs. M. Norman, the last few days.

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BAY TREE NEWS

February 4, 1936

FIVE BABIES AT MANY CREEKS

BAY TREE, Jan. 30.—Another baby was born to Mr. and Mrs. John Kane in Many Creeks school district, making a crop of five coming up in the infant class of this school district. All con- sidered are thriving nicely, even with- out the fumes and sties of the five babies. It is a record for Many Creeks and a difference when five babies are in one or five different homes of one or five mothers.

Grande Prairie pioneers will recall the modest hospital and efficient service received from Mrs. Forbes and Nurse Baird, but many mothers in Alberta must give birth to their babies in frontier settlements without even the aid of a kindly neighbor. It is a credit to the social life of Alberta and its much-advertised Health Department service to rural communities.

MAKING GOOD USE OF BUSH

The chisels began to clean up the modest blanket of snow that had been laid over this corner of Alberta, but taking pity on the loggers, halted and a change of weather or drift of air currents is enabling bush whackers to chop, skid and haul logs to the saw- mill. The chisels are doing a fine job of clearing the brush, and the loggers are doing a fine job of clearing the brush.

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ASPEN RIDGE

I understood then that aviation seen from the ground did not in the least resemble that lived up aloft. My thirty hours of flight were thirty hours well spent. Did I progress? Read on and find out.

(To be continued next week)

MANY ENJOY SKATING
ASPENDO RIDGE, Feb. 4. — A large skating party was held on Aspendo Flats last Sunday. Visitors from Hualala also enjoyed the fun. The little red truck which is so frequent a visitor to these parts this winter was there again, maybe yet, or perhaps

A WAR MACHINE

John McDougall has been across the Wapiti, presumably hunting moose-quooses, but with little success.

The East and West Bridge Clubs met in mortal combat last Wednesday the result being that the East Side won by a margin of 1,500 points. So

LOCAL BRIEFS

schoolhouse last Friday was not a
lucky one. The weather was
lumpy, only five persons being in cost-
ume, and all received prizes. How-
ever, everyone enjoyed themselves,
and another dance will be staged Friday,
February 14. * * *

LAST PAYMENT MADE
The last payment has finally been
made on our piano, which was pur-
chased from the Hymne Co. of
Chicago. The piano is now
going up. The patience of the vendors
in this case deserves worthy mention.
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Mr. and Mrs. Frank Giese have
moved down from Hymne to their farm
on the north side of the Ridge.
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**REPORT OF ASPEN RIDGE SCHOOL
FOR NOV., DEC., JAN.**
Grade 1
Nov. 11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31
Dec. 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31
Jan. 1-2-3-4-5-6-7-8-9-10-11-12-13-14-15-16-17-18-19-20-21-22-23-24-25-26-27-28-29-30-31

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SEEN AND HEAR

Edmond Stefan	79
Grade 2	
Edward Ryll	80
Hilda Dombrows	78
Hans Steier	76
Richard Pavarly	75
Grade 3	
John Wilkey	80
John Pavarly	78

Vin, Henry drawing the

George Kaufman	75
Albert Paverly	70
Bertha Schultz	66
William Schultz	69
Bert Grubb	63
Grade 4	
Glen Grubb	82
Margaret Hennig	81
Werner Marth	79
Martha Olsson	79
Vivia Wilsey	70

Grade IV

Leonie Zelling	77
Dorothy Grubb	73
Frieda Zelling	85
Grade 5	
Ella Dombrava	82
Jack Wilsey	54
Grade 8	
Helmut Hack	80
Frances Wilsey	70
Olinda Bauer	108
Eleonora Mayer	40

Bunyan
Farquhar

Grade 8	
Dorothy Paverly	74
Grace Paverly	85
Knut Olsson	85
Heine Marth	64
Stenfred Hennig	57
High School	
Ola Hennig, Vice-Head	
School's percentage of attendance for months of November, December and January, 91-98.	
W. D. Cooney, Teacher	

Grade II
Stewart

"Women in Paris are now wearing coats of banana skin," says a fashion writer. So for that matter are bananas.

Pedestrians in Normandy, France must now carry lights at night. The county council has ordered that anyone walking along unlighted highway must carry a lantern, so that they w

Grade 1, Jr.

not get run over.

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EXCHANGE

AND A HALF



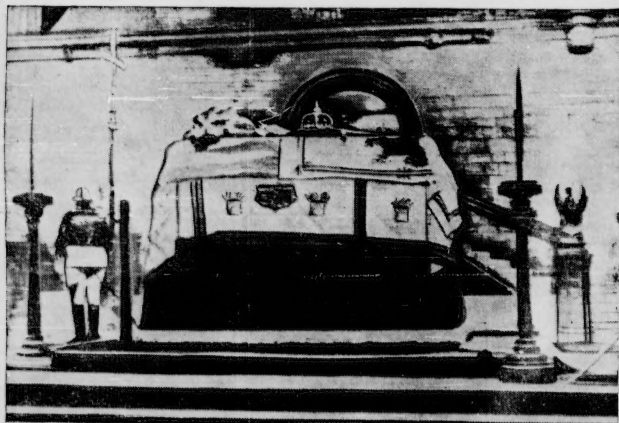
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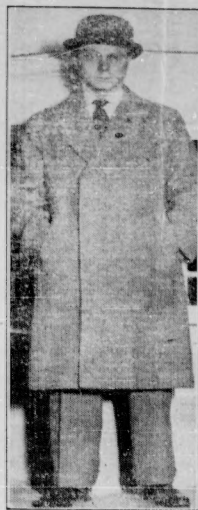
WHEN A MONARCH OF THE BRITISH EMPIRE DIES

Ceremony and ritual which marked the passing of King Edward VII in 1910, shown lying in state in Westminster Hall, was re-enacted when the body of the late King George V was taken from Sandringham Palace to the same hall to lie in state before burial in St. George's Chapel, Windsor.



WHEN KING GEORGE'S BODY LAY IN STATE IN WESTMINSTER HALL

In this photograph sentries are seen standing guard at the royal casket bearing the mortal remains of King George V, as the body lay in state in Westminster Hall, London.



THE MODERN KING

This excellent photo of His Majesty King Edward VIII shows him as a smartly dressed business executive.



IN NEW ROLE

His Majesty King Edward VIII has been photographed in many roles, but the one above is one of the less familiar offices he holds. Above he is seen wearing the robes of Master of the Company of Stationers and News-papermakers.

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LEAVES COMMISSION

Hon. Gordon S. Macdonald, former Premier of Nova Scotia and Chief Commissioner of Canada's Unemployment and Social Insurance Commission, announces his retirement from the Commission.



FORMER PREMIER'S DAUGHTER NOW A LANDLORD

Here Miss Isabel Macdonald, daughter of the Right Hon. Ramsey MacDonald, former Premier of Great Britain, is seen here as the new licensee of "Ye Old Pine Inn," a 17th century hostelry in the hamlet of Spenn in Buckinghamshire. Miss Macdonald is standing outside the inn with her first customer.



WHEN KING GEORGE CONFERRED THE TITLE "PRINCE OF WALES"

It was a very happy day in July, 1911, when King George went to Carnarvon Castle, Wales, for the investiture of the Prince of Wales, now King Edward VIII. He the beloved King is seen presenting the young Prince to the people at King's Gate after the ancient ceremony.



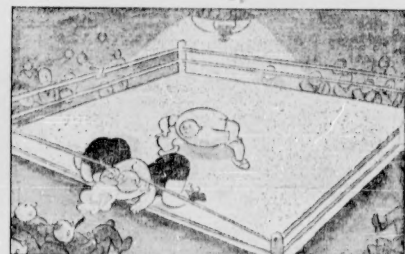
FAMOUS POET NOW RESTS IN WESTMINSTER ABBEY

Rudyard Kipling, famous Empire poet, now rests with other brilliant writers in the famous "Poets' Corner" in Westminster Abbey. Kipling is shown, in set, wearing the cap and gown of one of the famous old Abbeys.



HOLLAND EXPERIMENTS WITH STREAMLINE LOCOMOTIVES

Here is a picture of the first trial run of the new streamline locomotive from Amsterdam as the Dutch railways commenced experiments to ascertain the advantages of streamlined trains. This engine is almost identical with the new British train which set a new speed record a few months ago.



"Jolly fine view, this, Bill. Let's stay a bit, shall we?"

—Kellie Illustrations.



FIVE KINGS ATTEND THE FUNERAL OF BELOVED MONARCH

One of the most impressive arrays of European royalty in recent years gathered at London for the state funeral of the late King George V. Among those who attended the ceremonies were five kings—Leopold of Belgium, Haakon of Norway, Boris of Bulgaria, Carol of Roumania, and Christian of Denmark. In addition to other royal personages, in the centre of the picture is Westminster Abbey, where the Archbishop of Canterbury conducted a memorial service in memory of King George.

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At the Capitol Next Week

"BABY FACE HARRINGTON" STARRING PERFECT COUPLE GARNERS MANY LAUGHS

If you like to laugh—and who doesn't?—run, don't walk, to the Capitol Theatre, where "Baby Face Harrington," the funniest film of the year, will be playing Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, February 10, 11 and 12, along with "Voodoo Vengeance," sixth episode of the thrill-packed serial, "Tarzan the Fearless."

And not only funniest, but most original, it has no parallel nor comparison, because its star, Charles Butterworth, is unique among comedians. This is Butterworth's leading role, in a picture especially written for him.

Perfect Comedy Team

Although the picture principally concerns the exploits of the unassuming Butterworth, Una Merkel shares honors as his wife. They make the perfect comedy team, those two, each with a different technique, each balancing the other, yet both in perfect harmony.

The supporting cast is especially well selected. Nat Pendleton plays another of his famous ancestor roles, his burly toughness in sharp contrast to the small, quizzical-looking man. Ruth Solyer returns to the screen after a year's absence in the effective role of Dorothy Harvey Stephens, who was seen here recently in "Evening Hours," and this week in "After Office Hours," again suave and charming.

Eugene Pallette is perfectly at home in the role of "Tootsie" small-town police sergeant. Donald Meek plays the heartless blunderer, while Robert Livingston and Edith Nugent are handsome additions to the cast.

Has Surprise Finish

Briefly, the humor of the story lies in the situation, where each becomes involved with one of the toughest gang's hoodlums in the country and is suspected of being chief of the gang. With police stake a man hunt for his arrest, he is persistently the guest of the gang, and remains hidden. The surprise finish is calculated to push you right out of your chair.

Raul Walsh, famous for "The Bowery" and "Going Hollywood," directed, and adds another hit to his long list of successes.

DICK POWELL AND JOAN BLONDELL IN NOVEL MUSICAL

"Broadway Gondolier" Warner Bros. sensational new musical comedy, which reunites the popular stars of "Gold Diggers of 1933." Dick Powell and Joan Blondell, will be shown locally at the Capitol Theatre for the first time on Thursday, Friday and Saturday, February 13, 14 and 15.

The picture heralded as one of the most humorous as well as romantic productions of the year, is based on a story by Sir Harold E. Y. Harcourt and Hans Kraly. In the all-star cast headline Dick Powell and Joan Blondell are Adolph Menjou, Louise Fazenda, William Gargan, George Barbier and Louis Mitchell.

The story concerns the romance of a young man who falls in love with a girl who is a member of a famous family.

THURSDAY, FRIDAY, SATURDAY—February 13, 14 and 15

DICK POWELL, and JOAN BLONDELL, in

"Broadway Gondolier"

COMING

Novelty Valentine Dance

IN THE ELKS HALL, FRIDAY, FEBRUARY 14

\$8,500, which were repaid in full. An amount of \$25,000, representing the unpaid balance of an amount of \$50,000, borrowed from the bank for the construction of the new city hall, was also paid off, and the debentures which had been held by the bank as security were cancelled, thus saving a considerable amount of interest for the town, together with a saving of interest on current borrowings, and which were considerably less than the previous year. The cash on hand in the bank at the end of the year amounts to \$6,817.81, which, with outstanding checks of \$715.08 and accounts payable of \$541.47, would still leave a surplus of over \$5,000.

Further reductions were again made on building assessments as well as the mill rate.

It is proposed this year to have a re-evaluation of last assessment. The necessity for this arises out of the fact that during the past years land assessment was reduced by ten great an extent in some localities, thus throwing it out of line in these areas which have developed considerably since the original assessment.

"Our school poll tax this year amounts to \$25.20. This represents a contribution towards our education, and it is \$27.30 more than last year. This increase is partly on account of the fact that women have contributed towards this tax, and partly on account of the fact that we have taken more strenuous steps to collect it.

The total tax collections as shown by statement for last year are better than the previous year, which was a good year for the percentage of current levy represented by all collections being \$114,075 as compared with \$104,257 last year, and \$714,196 in 1931.

Looking to the outlook during the summer months of better conditions and collections, considerable work is undertaken for the express purpose of providing employment which caused in some cases the estimated expenditure to be overruns.

Public Works

"A considerable amount of the money expended was used for the purpose of properly draining the large amount of water north of town and into the river, and for the purpose of replacing waterworks and bridges damaged by flood waters last year.

A large program of graveling was carried out which about three new blocks were added to the gravel roads.

With the further extension of lumber sidewalks, the cost of upkeep to become a considerable item.

In an endeavor to reduce this cost we have experimented with the use of crushed lumber used for curbs and sidewalks.

Relief

"The amount spent under this heading were considerable high. This was brought about by the bad harvest which prevented the laboring man from earning enough to carry him over the winter.

"Considerable relief was received from the government and some relief from the town, but the relief was not sufficient to meet the needs of the town.

The town will now receive a rebate on the cost of hospitalization of indigent patients payable by the town would be more but for the fact that a number of families are eligible for the 50 cents per day rate by reason of the town purchasing tickets for them, and are unable to do so for themselves.

"Social services have increased for old age pensioners, mothers' allowances and child welfare.

Parks and Lands

"The council has under consideration the passing of a cemetery by-law for the better upkeep and maintenance of same.

"The tree planting program was somewhat extended over that estimated, as the weather was so wet, as well as beautifying the park grounds and town. A certain amount of work of this kind is done by the town.

Sanitation and Health

"The health conditions of the town were satisfactory throughout the year. The local board of health was active during the year in the enforcement of the new dairy regulations, and numerous improvements have been brought about.

The matter of sanitation, particularly in regard to the sewerage system, is being considered by the board of health, with a view to a possible change in this system.

Police

"We have still only one police officer, who can only devote part time to his duties. From reports for the year, it is noted that there is not much serious crime. Considerable work is done by the police, and cannot be expected to carry out as thoroughly as would be done by a full-time police officer.

"In my opinion the police work of this town can only be carried out efficiently by obtaining the services of a full-time qualified officer.

Fire and Light

"The fire equipment is in good condition with the exception of some of the fire hose. The council should see that about 200 feet more are replaced this year in order to ensure that the fire hose is in good condition. I might mention that a fire prevention contest throughout the Dominion was entered by the Grande Prairie Board of Trade, and the town has been awarded the shield as winner over all towns entering this competition. All have received notification that this shield will be awarded later.

Water

"I am pleased to note despite the fact that the water in the price of water that the operating account shows a small surplus.

The house purchased in the previous year is in use and with the new system installed is operating satisfactorily, and the water in the tank and standpipe free from ice.

Building and Industry

"Some new buildings were erected. The creamery is continuing to operate on a normal basis, and is successful in establishing a flour mill, which will soon be in operation.

The council has under consideration the passing of a law which will show the town to be in good sound financial position.

The problem of tax collections has not been an easy one, but through the procedure adopted by the council of general contact, and giving every document by way of installment payments, accounting work has succeeded in making our ratepayers what may be termed tax conscious, and was no doubt to some extent responsible for the larger collection of arrears.

On's Puckchasers, Etc.

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served up as nice a passing game as has ever been seen on the local rink. Not only that but they went over the blue line intelligently and there was generally a man in position to take the pass.

Denys Law went like a house afire all through. This boy shows marked improvement each game.

C. Turner was another outstanding forward for Grande Prairie. Not only was he in many of the combinations which resulted in goals, but he started and made several plays. Jack Spicer, Roy Wright, Neil Dalgleish and Ken Crumney, all young players, were very much in evidence. Ken Wilson and Rusty Black, older players, lent splendid balance to the team.

Squires proved possibly the most dangerous man on the Spirit River team, accounting for the visitors' two goals. McDougall, the visitors' goalie, turned in a good game and was a big factor in holding down the home team's score. Allan Wright, who was in the Grande Prairie net, made some wonderful saves.

The score does not indicate the ice play and the visitors were in the game all through. The Spirit River team was very close, only a few penalties were dealt out and those for minor offences.

Summary of Game

The first few minutes in the first period saw the Spirit River team after about six minutes of play out and stick-handle away through the defence and beat McDougall with a well timed shot. The Spirit River team again after the game had gone 15 minutes. End-to-end rushes featured the balance of the game, with neither team able to bulge the twine.

Spirit River started off the second period with a bang and scored in one minute.

Grande Prairie then had a turn and literally hammered the Spirit River goalie, who cleverly warded off their best efforts. Spirit River then rushed down and came within an ace of scoring. Black worked the sphere down the side passed to Law, who rushed down and came within an ace of scoring. Black worked the sphere down the side passed to Law, who rushed down and came within an ace of scoring.

The third period proved the most exciting of the three sessions. Following the real visitors took on new life and in a mass attack threatened, but the defence relieved. There was a change of goal and scored for the next few minutes. Then Neil Dalgleish took the puck at centre and shot it into the net. Spirit River again pressed and Curran passed to Squires, who scored.

Referee: J. H. McLaughlin. Judge of play: Jack Curran.

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Buffalo Lakes Resident Laid to Rest Saturday

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Rev. Delo, pastor of Resemith United Church, officiated. During the service, the congregation sang the hymns "Abide With Me" and "Rock of Ages."

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G.P. Junior Hockey Team Win From Beaver Lodge

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The Grande Prairie Junior hockey team, accompanied by their manager, Johnny McDonald, journeyed to Beaver Lodge on Sunday and met A. Osear's puck chasers in three twenty-minute periods and after a hard-fought struggle emerged with the long end of the score of 8 to 4.

Grande Prairie scored two in the first period, while Beaver Lodge failed to count. Law and Turner accounted for the two goals.

Grande Prairie started the second period with a burst of speed and Turner found the net. Beaver Lodge came back fast. E. McDonald and L. Osear scored. Towards the end of the period Bradley counted for the visitors.

In the third period Turner again bulged the twine. Hume for Beaver Lodge broke away fast and went through, scoring unassisted. Law then came through with a perfectly good goal and Laddy followed with one for Beaver Lodge.

Grande Prairie had the better of the going during the closing minutes of the final period and Turner and Roy Wright each had the opening goal.

Beaver Lodge-Gol: J. Rogers. Defence: C. Hume and S. Halliday. Forwards: E. McDonald, L. Osear, Little, J. Laddy, H. McDonald, and B. Hume.

Grande Prairie-Gol: "Pete" Edgar. Defence: Neil Dalgleish, Jack Ward and Ken Crumney. Forwards: C. Turner, Dennis Law, Roy Wright, Allan Wright, Allan Bradley, Bob Curran and Jack Spicer.

Referee: B. Allright.

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2nd—Silver case, donated by G. P. Curling Club.

3rd—Hotpoint toaster, by G. P. Curling Club.

4th—Silver butter and cracker dishes, donated by Robert Simpson Ltd., Regina.

D. W. Post Trophy

1st—Walnut chequerboard tables, donated by Royal George Hotel, Edmonton.

2nd—Zipper windbreakers, donated by Pembers Ltd.

3rd—Table lamps, donated by J. M. Kerr.

4th—Curling sets, by G. P. Curling Club.

McMillan Trophy

1st—Jensen sweaters, donated by Nelson & Archibald.

2nd—Flemish copper lamps, by G. P. Curling Club.

3rd—Bed throws, donated by F. D. Hickman.

4th—Silver cake plates, donated by T. Eaton & Co.

Yellow Head

1st—Silver metal plates, by G. P. Curling Club.

2nd—Darwin rams, by G. P. Curling Club.

3rd—Coffee spoons (6) in case, donated by Distributors Ltd.

4th—Silver ice pavers, by G. P. Curling Club.

5th—Rosen rams, by G. P. Curling Club.

6th—Silver pie plates, by G. P. Curling Club.

The prizes are on view in the show windows of Butcher's Drug Store. Visitors are assured of ample house accommodation.

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